Richwood

Richwood, May 27.- We are glad to report Mrs. S. C. Fleshman improving from an recent illness. It is also pleasant to see Mrs. Dean Pugh up and around again.

Mr. Raymond Godsey, while driving with his family in Lynchburg Sunday, damaged his car to such an extent that he will be deprived of its use for some time. No one was injured.

Mrs. D. E. Wright, of Washington, D. C., has been vacationing with Mr. and Mrs. Hicks and Dr. and Mrs. Watt. She returned home Sunday with her husband, who drove down for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett Potter, of Pamplin, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cordell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Powell, of Roanoke, Mr. Powell's sister, Mrs. Elinor Graham, and brother, Rudolph, returned home Saturday after a short visit with Mrs. Annie and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Powell.

Cornelius Giles, of Pleush was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mann Sunday.

James Fleshman was i. Lynchburg on business Tuesday.

John Moore and son, John, were in Farmville Saturday.

G.P. Brannan's pet kitten, Ginny, his sole, faithful and constant companion and, who, by her antics, had become so well known by passers-by on Route 1, was struck and killed by a car Tuesday afternoon. Mr. Brannan says that, although he has never seen and never expects to see another like Ginny, he is looking for another Maltese kitten.

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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Newark: Please discuss the name Alessandro. Has it any connection with the name Alexander?—A. D.

Answer: Alessandro is pronounced: **AH-less-AHN'-droo.** It is the Italian form of the name Alexander, which means "defender of men."

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Mrs. W. S., of Santa Monica, sends a clipping of a story reporting the death of an 82-year-old Seattle pioneer, said to have the longest officially recorded name in America. His father named him for the officers of a Civil War regiment. The name: Oscar William Free Grills Fitz Allen John Domedro Ali Fonzo Meli Tare Gustafon Title Tuttle Step Carl Cary.

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P. L. D., of Little Rock, sends a page from the local telephone directory which lists I. C. Sparks as issuing in the fire insurance business. A reader in Knox, Indiana, states: "A Golden Gift used to be my neighbor here in Knox."

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St. Paul: Does Louis Pasteur's surname mean anything?—W. H. T.

Answer: Yes. Pasteur is the French form of pastor, i.e., a shepherd; also, one who exercises authority. The correct pronunciation of the famous chemist's name is: loo-EE pahss-TEER. For Pasteur we have the English word pasteurize, correctly pronounced: PASS-ter-ize. (Avoid "pasturize.")

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Los Angeles: Please give the correct pronunciation of "gondola." And what is the origin?—Mrs. R. M. S.

Answer: The word is Italian, and the origin is a little uncertain, although some authorities believe it is a diminutive of gonda, "a boat." All dictionaries known to me list but one pronunciation: GON-duh-luh.

Midget Radio Fits Beneath Man's Tie

Will Pick Up Programs Within Radius of 125 Miles.

NEW YORK.—The cutlery case radio is small enough to fit beneath your tie, but Phillis Woodlin thinks it's big enough to turn the radio industry upside-down.

He flipped a switch. "Listen," he said.

It made a firm, steady buzz when Franklin switched it on—just like any ordinary table-model radio. It picks up music or voice with the same ease.

The new four-tube vest pocket job is on a ceramic plate three inches long and two inches wide.

"It eliminates the need for internal wiring," said Franklin, a physicist at the national bureau of standards, "and you can imagine what a saving that will mean in manufacturing sets."

Franklin said the bureau, under direction of Dr. Cledo Brunetti, also has developed a lipstick-size broadcasting station.

"Team the two together, and you have a personal walkie-talkie," he explained.

"Or, if you don't want a walkie-talkie, you can use the calling card set as an ordinary receiver. You'll be able to tune in on programs within a radius of 125 miles."

Brunetti and his associates in Washington used processes and materials developed for the wartime proximity fuse, which fitted into the warhead of a shell and carried a complete radio sending and receiving station enabling the shell to explode at the most effective distance from the target.

"A firm in upper New York state already has turned out 5,000 sets," Franklin said, "but they're all sold out now.

"They plan to build 50,000 more in an attempt to find out just how many people want to buy, and what changes must be made for better performance."

Kindly Motorist Helps Striking Bus Driver

SPRINGFIELD, ILL. — When buses were strikebound, the mayor asked motorists to give lifts to pedestrians. So George B. Casey generously plodded up a dejected fellow plodding through deep snow.

"Glad to do it," explained Casey as they arrived downtown. "Feel sorry for people who have to walk."

"Better let me out," said his passenger. "I'm a striking bus driver."

Aromatic Ads in Newspapers May Be Next Step in Scent

NORMAN, OKLA.—Don't be too astonished if the butcher's advertisement in your newspaper emits the sizzling scent of a sirloin steak and mingles with the odor of frying onions from the grocer's display on the opposite page.

Perhaps that aromatic aroma of coffee from the evening paper will keep you awake at night.

Dr. Ralph Bienfang, professor of pharmacy at University of Oklahoma, says odoriferous advertising may be the next step—after color—in attracting customers.

Bienfang, considered one of the world's foremost authorities on odors, already is working on his first commercial assignment of that kind—an order from a San Diego restaurateur who wants the pictures of meat courses on his advertising blotters to smell just like the real dishes.

Bienfang says perfumes have been used in such advertising, but that making food odors involves an entirely different process.

"It's not impossible to duplicate any food odor," Bienfang pointed out. "I bet I could whip up a chili odor that would have you reaching for a cracker and a spoon.

"Take the bread you buy at your market. It's just like that song 'Stone Cold Dead in the Market.' There's no odor. I'm sure I could put together a fresh bread smell that could be put in the wrapper—and in advertisements."

Vera

Vera, May 24.- Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chernault had as their dinner guests Sunday: J. H. Chernault, Mildred, Alice and Neal Chernault, of Prospect, and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Harris.

Evelyn Chernault spent last week end with Audrey Page.

Mrs. Maude E. Adolph has returned from visiting her sister in Richmond, and she is now at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coleman.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Coleman and Mrs. Tarnes visited Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Chernault Wednesday night.

Misses Dorothy Megginson and Verna Smith spent last Wednesday night with Sally Lou Chernault, to help celebrate her 11th birthday.

Jeanette Chernault spent Friday night with her sister, Mrs. Ed Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crawford, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Page.

Orlando will try to form a new Italian cabinet.

Yugoslavs deny any responsibility for Greek warfare.

IS MEDICINE DESTROYING ITSELF?

★ Things dramatic capture the imagination, sometimes to the point of distorting the perspective. This is as true in medicine as in other fields. The sensational results with sulfa drugs and penicillin are examples.

Less dramatic, but responsible for saving uncounted lives, are the broader public health measures. Sewage disposal; swamp clearance; water, milk, and food inspection are but a few of the triumphs.

The physician and the pharmacist have always been leaders in the field of preventive medicine. This fact led James Boice to observe, "Medicine is the only profession that labors incessantly to destroy the reason for its own existence."

The fight, however, is far from won. Diagnosis and treatment of disease are still the primary functions of the physician. The accurate filling of prescriptions is our responsibility as pharmacists.

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New Process Assures Pie 'Just Like Mother's'

WASHINGTON.—That old favorite, apple pie, may taste better than ever as a result of a new treatment to "firm" apple slices, the department of agriculture reports.

Research has developed a calcium treatment to enable the latter, flavorful apples to retain their textures when baked, instead of getting mushy, it said.

Before the process can be used commercially, an amendment to the food and drug administration regulations will be required.

The department said that at present bakers choose the firm type of apples that will hold their shape, but which have less flavor than the softer, juicier apples. That is why many apple pies lack the flavor of those "mother used to bake."

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Demonstration Club Schedule

Home Demonstration Agent's Schedule Week of June 2—7:

Before starting the season's canning test the gauge of your pressure canner for accuracy, advises Miss B. G. Anderson, home agent. Basic on testing pressure cooker gauges will be held in the office of Mrs. Anderson on Saturday June 7, from 9 A.M. until 3 P.M.

Unless the gauge registers accurately, food being processed may get too little heat for safe keeping, or may be needlessly overcooked with loss in vitamins and flavor.

All you need to bring to the office is the top of your pressure cooker. Everyone is invited to assist themselves of this service, the club members as well as club members.

Monday, June 2— Rocks Home Demonstration Club will meet at 1:30 P.M., with Mrs. C. S. Randolph, Demonstration on chair seating.

Tuesday, June 4— Glendale Home Demonstration Club will meet with Mrs. Hunter Nash at 10:00 A. M. Demonstration on chair seating and home freezing of fruits and vegetables.

Thursday, June 5— The Hixburg Home Demonstration Club will meet with Miss May Hix at 1:30 P. M. Demonstration on chair seating.

Friday, June 6— Those interested in learning how to seat chairs with cane are invited to attend a demonstration at the home of Mrs. S. S. Shouse at 2:00 P.M. Demonstration given by Mrs. Shouse.

Saturday, June 7—A clinic on using pressure cooker gauges will be held in the office of the home agent from 9 A.M. to 3 P.M.

Bill says man admits to part in Lynn plot.

May admits plane trip to Cuba with Gasson.

Hawaiian Nisei send flowers to tomb of soldier in Paris.

Permanence of RFC is held to be business move.

Commencement At Local High School

MISS "BOLLY" CONNER

THOMAS MAYBERRY

The two honor graduates at the commencement exercises of Appomattox High School next week will be Miss Bolly Conner, salutatorian and Thomas Mayberry, valedictorian. The baccalaureate sermon will be held Sunday night.

MEMORIAL SERVICE CONTRIBUTION

At the community-wide Memorial Service conducted at the Liberty Baptist Church on Sunday evening, in cooperation with the Methodist, Baptist and Presbyterian Churches, a contribution of thirty-eight dollars was received "for the disabled Veterans." This contribution, along with ten dollars donated by the Legion Auxiliary, will be equally divided and sent to the McGuire, Roanoke and Kecoughton Veterans Hospitals for rehabilitation purposes and entertainment of the disabled veterans.

RECITAL AT PAMPLIN

Miss Kate Franklin's music students will present their recital at Pamplin High School Wednesday night, June 4.

Commencement Week at the Appomattox High School begins Sunday, June 1, with the baccalaureate sermon. A class of some 65 Seniors will get diplomas June 6th.

The baccalaureate sermon will be delivered by the Rev. J. Marshall Walker at Liberty Baptist Church at 8 P. M. Sunday.

Class Night will be held June 4, at 8 P. M., in the school auditorium.

Principal L. Crawley, who plans to retire at the end of this session, will award diplomas at Commencement exercises Friday night, June 6. The address to be graduating class will be delivered by W. M. Abbitt, local attorney, and an alumnus of A. H. S.

Miss Bolling Conner and Thomas Mayberry tied for first honors in the graduating class.

Miss Kate Franklin's Pre-Piano pupils will present a demonstration Tuesday evening, June 3.

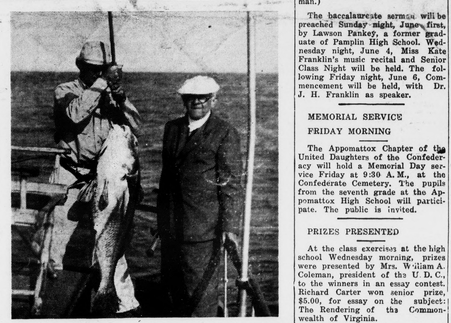
Miss Franklin's annual piano recital will take place on Thursday evening, June 5.

The public is invited to attend these events.

JUNE COURT TERM

The Circuit Court of Appomattox County is scheduled to convene on June 1st. Another light docket is anticipated.

Do not be alarmed if you hear that the level of the Atlantic ocean has dropped a few inches! There is likely explanation, in the reports of fish hauled in last week-end by a party of Appomattox sportsmen, fishing off Cape Charles. Shown above is R. L. Burke with one of the large fish caught. Others in the party were David T. Robertson, William A. Coleman and Richard Janetha.



SENIOR CLASS OF PAMPLIN HIGH SCHOOL

Front row, left to right: Virginia Richardson, Ann Terry, Jessie Carson (salutatorian), Cornelia Jamerson (validictorian); second row: Shirley Southall, Jim Cobb, Mildred Slayton; third row: Harwood Hix, Joe Maxwell; fourth row: George Mann. (One absent: Lloyd Coleman.)

The baccalaureate sermon will be preached Sunday night, June first, by Lawson Pankey, a former graduate of Pamplin High School. Wednesday night, June 4, Miss Kate Franklin's music recital and Senior Class Night will be held. The following Friday night, June 6, Commencement will be held, with Dr. J. H. Franklin as speaker.

MEMORIAL SERVICE FRIDAY MORNING

The Appomattox Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy will hold a Memorial Day service Friday at 9:30 A.M., at the Confederate Cemetery. The pupils from the seventh grade at the Appomattox High School will participate. The public is invited.

PRIZES PRESENTED

At the class exercises at the high school Wednesday morning, prizes were presented by Mrs. William A. Coleman, president of the U.D.C., to the winners in an essay contest. Richard Carter won senior prize, $5.00, for essay on the subject: The Rendering of the Commonwealth of Virginia.

Ann Burton won junior prize, of $3.00, for essay on: Home life in the South before and during the War Between the States.

Fred Weakley, 7th grade, $2.00, for essay: Home life in the South during the War Between the States

Appomattox town council will meet Monday night.

CROW HUNTING

The sport of crow hunting is being encouraged, and June is perhaps the best month in the year for this popular sport.

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APPOMATTOX RED SOX BASEBALL TEAM

Top row, left to right: Shearer Robertson, John Oxford, Billy Taylor, Lathan Harvey, Dick Bass, Hal Guill, Carroll Ould; bottom row: Pete Doss, Dick Martin, Herman Wingfield, Ernest Carter, Ned Bailey, Robert Scott, Lester Wingfield, E. D. Tegethoff.

RED SOX TEAM UNDEFEATED

The Appomattox Rex Sox won their fifth and sixth straight games by defeating Huddleston 10 to 9, and Otter Hill 10 to 6, here over the week-end.

In Saturday's game, Ned Stanley relieved Hal Guill on the mound in the eighth inning, and went on to win the game in the last of the ninth when he singled to right, did to score the tying and the winning runs. Sunday, Ernest Carter held Otter Hill under control.

Friday, Memorial Day, the team will play Charlotte Court, of the Patrick Henry League, here at 3 o'clock. Saturday, Amherst will be played here at 3:30. Sunday's will see the Red Sox playing at Hurt.

Police say youth admits slaying of four.

Norway admits 600 refugees.

Portsmouth now leading in Piedmont League.

Sharp Increase Noted In Overall Food Costs

WASHINGTON. — The bureau of labor statistics reports that on February 15 overall food prices were 95 per cent above August, 1939; 31 per cent above a year ago, and only three per cent below the all-time high of last December after President Truman's general decontrol order.

It said prices dropped 0.8 per cent from mid-January to mid-February but that they probably have jumped again since then. It said the decrease undoubtedly would be wiped out by sharp increases on the wholesale market. Wholesale prices jumped about 8 per cent between February 1 and March 15.

BLS attributed the decrease chiefly to declines in eggs, dairy products and meats. But these decreases were more than offset by a rise in fruit, vegetable, cereal and bakery products.

To Close Wednesday Afternoons

Most Appomattox and Pamplin merchants will close on Wednesday afternoons during the months of June, July and August. Announcement of the program is made on Page 8 of today's issue.

The plan for Wednesday afternoon closing here was sponsored by the Appomattox Lions Club. The principal objective is to give employees time for recreation during the warm summer months, and it is in with similar action in most towns and cities.

P.-T.A. Meeting

The last meeting of the P.-T. A. of Appomattox High School for this school year was held Tuesday, May 27, in the school library.

The association adopted resolutions submitted by the committee on the announced retirement of the principal, Prof. L. Crawley, who has been a loyal supporter of the organization.

There was a discussion of the Minimum Salary Schedule, and the organization endorsed the schedule as proposed by the Virginia Education Association.

Superintendent J. A. Burke conducted a most interesting roundtable discussion of school needs and future plans for education in Appomattox County.

The Cafeteria Committee reported plans for renovating the school cafeteria during summer months.

The presence of an exotic Mexican Art Exhibit, from the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts, Richmond, Va., and the unusual minature arrangements and other colorful exhibits of the Junor Garden Club, made a setting that inspired the members to work for an even more active P.-T. A. next year in order that more parents may enjoy these phases of school life.

MRS. W. H. LUCADO

Mrs. Beulah Augusta Lucado, wife of William Henry Lucado, died at her home here early Monday morning. She was a native of this county, daughter of the late Alonzo and Betty Ferguson Hamilton.

She is survived by her husband, one son, James H. Lucado, of Appomattox; two daughters, Mrs. Warren Hanlet, of Halifax, and Mrs. I. H. Houston, of Lynchburg; and one sister, Mrs. Holmsey Ingo, of Appomattox. She was a member of Liberty Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at 11:00 A.M., with interment in the Lucado family cemetery. Active pallbearers: Jacob Lewis, Walker Garrett, D. A. Conner, R. A. Hamilton, W. W. O'Brien and R. E. Jamerson. Services were conducted by Rev. J. M. Walker, assisted by Rev. O. G. Burnette and Rev. F. M. Lucas.

Deepest sympathy is extended to the bereaved loved ones.

LEE THEATRE BALL GAMES

Lee Theatre's Skyline League ball team lost a close extra-inning game to Buena Vista, there, last Saturday, and was rained out of its game at Glasgow Sunday.

The team plays at Salem this Saturday in a night game, and will meet Amherst here Sunday afternoon.

HIGHWAY MAPS

P. M. Burton, resident highway engineer, announces that his office at Appomattox has received a supply of new Virginia highway maps, illustrated with scenic and historical views. The public is invited to call at his office for one of these maps.

Twenty-two Nazi camp guards executed.

Senate bar split from Fox returns.